NORWICH BULLETIN, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1909.

COMMANDER PEARY AT NORTH POLE

Scientific World Again Stunned by a Brief Message from Labrador's Bleak Coast

HE WAS ON THE SPOT APRIL 6, 1909

On that Day He Nailed the Stars and Stripes to the North Pole-Details Expected loday from Chateau Eay, Lahrador-No Trace Found by the Peary Party of the Dr. Cook Expedition.

The message is signed simply "Bert," abbreviation of Robert, Commander

an abbreviation of Robert, Commande Peary's first name. Mrs. Peary sent a wife's characteris

tic reply with love and a blessing and a request for him to "hurry home."

Another Strange Coincidence.

By another strange coincidence in this chapter of coincidences, Mrs. Cook, too, was in South Harpswell, Me, when she received first news of her husbund's success. Both she and Mrs. It ary had gone for months without word of their husbands, but had hoped and prayed, first for their safe return, and, secondly, it may be guessed, for the planting of the flag at the pole.

OF DR. COOK OF BROOKLYN.

Friends in St. John's, N. F.

Ship in Good Condition and Crew All

Right.

The Roosevelt was in good condition

and the crew all right, wired Captain Bartlett also, and he reported that the

schooner Jeanle, carrying supplies for the expedition, met them off the coast of Greenland.

Coming south the Roosevelt passed Etah and Upernavik, Greenland, where Dr. Cook had preceded Peary.

Due in Chateau Bay Today.

The Roosevelt tonight is bound for Chateau bay, Labrador, with Peary and party on board, where she is due tomorrow. Chateau bay lies northwest of Castle and Henley islands, on the northern shore of Belle Isle straits, and due east of Belle Isle.

Worcester, Mass., and Freeport, Me., Get Messages from Peary's Com-

Freeport, Me., Sept. 6.—Confirma-on of Peary's success in reaching

gins on Wednesday morning for a full

be quite that number. Last year there was a registration of about 95 pupils, which will be increased somewhat this fall. Another teacher has been secured, making a total of three, and indications point to a successful year.

"Indian Harbor,
via Cape Ray, N. F. Sept. 6.
"To Associated Press, New York:
"Stars and Stripes nailed to north "PEARY."

"Herbert L. Bridgman, Brooklyn, N. Y.
"Perbert L. Bridgman, Brooklyn, N. Y.
"Pole reached, Roosevelt cafe.
(Signed) "PEARY."
"To the New York Times, New York:

"Indian Harbor,
via Cape Rey, N. F., Sept. 6.
"I have the pole April 6th. Expect arrive Chateau bay Sept. 7th. Secure control of wire for me there and arrange expedite transmission big story.
(Signed) "PEARY."

UNDENIABLY AMERICAN GRIT CONQUERS THE FROZEN NORTH. A Coincidence Created Such as Will Never Again Be Seen.

New York, Sept. 6.—Peary has succeeded. Stars and Stripes nailed to the north pole.

From out the Arctic darkness there was flashed today this message, which stunned the scientific world and thrilled the heart of every layman. From the bleak coast of Labrador Peary save to the world the news that he had attained his goal in the far north, while at the same moment in far off, Denmark Dr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn was being dined and lionized by royalty for the same achievement.

Each ignorant of the Other's Conquest.

created a coincidence such as the world will never see again. Two Americans have planted the flag of their country in the land of ice which man has sought to paper site for four centuries, and each, ignorant of the other's conquest, has flashed within a period of five days a laconic message of success to the watting world.

Peary Briefer Than Cook, But Specific. Cook in his first message to his countrymen was brief, but non-committal; Peary was even briefer, but specific. "Stars and Stripes nailed to the pole," he said. That was all, but never-hefore here so faw words conveyed to a people a greater meaning or a greater patriotic satisfaction.

eary Unheard from for More Than a

Five days ago, on Sept. I. Dr. Cook sent out from the Shetland Islands the first message of his success—a message which has aroused a storm of confriversy around the world. Today Robert E. Pesry, lost from view in the land of ice and unheard from since August, 1908, startled the world by a similar message sent from Indian Harbor, Labrador. There was no qual-ification: it left no doubt. It announceed unequivocally that he had reached the top of the world. Thus two flags with the Stars and Stripes of the Unit-ed States are gloating in the ice packs, proving the courage of intropid Amer-

The World Waits for Details. With but a word from Peary, the world waits breathlessly for details, but until tomorrow, when he should arrive at Chauteau Bay, Labrador, wait-

ing must suffice.

First word of Peary's success reached New York at 12.39 o'clock this afternoon in a despatch to the Associated Press. It contained the bare announcement of his finding the pole. Almost simultaneously he had transmitted the news to London, repeating dramatically and simply: "Stars and Stripes nailed to the north pole." At the same time he similarly advised the governor of Newfoundland.

Seth Old and New World Notified.

Both the old and the new world were thus apprised of his great achievement thus apprised of his great achievement practically at the same moment and the excitement which followed attests to the high pitch of interest aroused over this climax of man's perseverance. Newspaper extras were rushed from the press and those who read marveled at the twist of the universe which had enatched the ice mask from the north in so strange a manner.

Tantalizing Briefness,

A quiet but pretty wedding attended only by members of the immediate families was solemnized Mnoday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, at the Second Congregational church parsonave, when albert D. Houldcroft, Jr., and Miss Clara May Kennedy were united in marriage by Rev. L. L. West, D.D. Miss Katle Houldcroft, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the best man was Theodore Kennedy, brother of the bride.

The newly married couple departed Like Dr. Cook's first message, Peary's was tantalizing in its briefness, and the waiting public, stimulated by Cook's success, was left unsatisfied. For, as did Dr. Cook, Peary resumed The newly married couple departed on the 1.80 train for a short wedding trip, after which they will reside in Springfield, where Mr. Houldcroft is

A few words were added to this mea-gre information at 2.50 p. m., when there was made public this additional information, sent to Herbert A. Bridg-

"Pole reached. Roosevelt safe. "PEARY." Vital Points Cleared Up.

This gave assurance that the vessel the position of truant onicer and was known as the youngest in Worcester county. He is the son of Mr. and through the ice unscathed, but ded through the ice unscathed, but ded through the ice unscathed but ded through the ice unscathed but ded through the ice unscathed but ded to the ice unscathed

Said:

"I have the pole April 5. Expect arrive Chateau bay Sept 7."

With this information at hand it was comparatively simple matter to ascertain that the April 5th referred to was April of the present year, as his expedition did not start from New York until July 7, 1998.

April 6, 1999—the date that Peary planted the flag at the pole—and April 21, 1903—the day that Dr. Cook unfured the Stars and Stripes a year before—consequently become the cardi-

of the church on Cliff street. During the summer another room has been added to the school, making three in all with accommodations adequate for aware of the movements of the other.

Just as Dr. Cook notified his wife, so Commander Peary took advantage of the brief stop at Indian harbor to assure Mrs. Peary of his safety. This measure, almost overlooked during a day of excitement over his achievement, reached New York tonight from South Harpswell. Me, where Mrs. Peary has been spending the summer. It contained both a touch of pathes and a quaint reference to his success.

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Cabled Paragraphs

Amoy, China, Sept. 6.—In the two weeks ending last Saturday there were ninety-feur bubonle and thirty-five cholera deaths in the city of Amoy according to an official announcement made today.

Sydney, N. S. W., Sept. 6.—The captain and crew of the French schooner Qualite, engaged in recruiting laborers, have been murdered by natives of Mallicollo island, in the New Hebrides. The vessel was driven ashore by a storm, and while stranded she was attacked. In spite of their stubborn defence, the crew were massacred to the last man. A British warship is investigating the occurrence.

Amoy China, Sept. 6.—The body of a wealthy mermchant of Amoy, who disappeared a fortnight ago, was found near this city yesterday. An examination showed that he had been murdered. The authorities have issued warrants for the arrest of several prominent residents of Amoy, including Eugenio Velnsco, an American citizen, son of a Manila millionaire. Julian H. Arnold, the American consultinsists if Velnsco be held in custody and prosecuted that it must be by the American authorities.

JUMPED FROM CAR, RECEIVED CONCUSSION OF BRAIN

Young Man in Serious Condition at Backus Hospital.

An unknown young man, apparently a foreigner, and about 21 years old fell from a trolley car on West Main street about 2.30 o'clock Monday aftstreet about 2.30 o'clock Monday afternoon, while on the way to the fair grounds, suffering concussion of the brake, from which he was still unconscious and in a critical condition at the Backus hospital at a late hour Monday night.

onday night.

According to other passengers on
the car, the accident happened when
the man's hat blew off and he made a the man's hat blew off and he made a start after it while the car was in motion, plunging off the front seat and landing on his head and shoulders in the road some distance this side of the Backus place at East Great Plain. The car went on and left him, although the conductor rang the bell for it to stop. Passersby pleked the man up and carried him to the side of the road. He was unconscious, but partially revived when some stimulant was poured down his throat. He was taken into the city in Joseph Kelly's team and brought to Dr. Louis Cassidy's office, where his injury was found to be a concussion of the brain. He was taken to the Backus hospital in the ambulance. St. John's, N. F., Sept. 6.—Commander Robert E. Peary, who announced today that he had discovered the north pole on April 6 of the present year, found no trace of Dr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn, who reported to the world five days ago that he had made the same discovery in April of the preceding year. This news reached here tonight through Capt. Robert Bartlett of the Roosevelt, Peary's ship, en route to Chateau bay, Labrador.

repudiate Dr. Cook's contention in so many words, his statement may have an important bearing upon determin-ing the extent of Dr. Cook's explora-St. Patrick's parish happened to be at the hospital when the man was brought in. and from some of the words which the man muttered thought his name might be John Priz, and that he came from New Haven. His appearance indicates that he may be a working man and a Polander.

SMALL BABY ABANDONED IN CEDAR STREET YARD.

Pretty Month Old Boy Found Monday Night Under Bushes, Wrapped in

Some cruel, heard-hearted persons abandoned a month old baby boy Monday night, leaving the little innocent chap under some bushes inside the front fence of the yard of William Hamann, No. 114 Cedar street, about 8.45 oclock. Who it was is not known, but the facts have been reported to the police, and it is expected that the gull-ty party will be located and punished. The baby was clothed and wrapped in a pink and white blanket and well covered. He made himself known by his cries, which were heard by Miss

Mary Hallahan, who lives next door. Both households were aroused by the finding of the child, and Miss Hamann, in whose yard the obits. finding of the child, and Miss Hamann, in whose yard the child was found, is quite certain that the child was not there when she went into the house about twenty minutes before he was found, indicating that the baby had been abandoned only a short time before he was heard to cry.

Captain Linton was informed of the facts, and Policeman Driscoll brought the baby to police station, and later it was taken to the Backus hospital for the night, and today some other arrangements will be made. The aban-

tion of Peary's success in reaching the pole was received in this town today in the shape of a telegram from D. B. McMillan, an instructor in the Worcester (Mass.) academy, who accompanied Peary on his trip. The message was sent to McMillan's sister, Mrs. W. C. Fogg, the local postmistress, and was as follows:

"Indian Harbor, Sept. 6, 1909.
"Mrs. W. C. Fogg, Freeport, Me.:
"Arrived safe, Pole on board. Best year of my life. (Signed)
Worcester, Mass., Sept. 6.—Dr. D. W. rangements will be made. The abandonment of the baby has aroused much indignation and the matter will be thoroughly investigated. The boy is a pretty blue eyed youngster of from a month to six weeks of age. Worcester, Mass., Sept. 6.—Dr. D. W. Abercrombie, principal of the Wor-cester academy, received the following despatch at 3 o'clock this afternoon over the Postal Telegraph company's

WEST SIDE ELECTRIC.

Newfoundland, Sept. 6, 1909.

"Dr. D. W. Abercrombie, Worcester Academy, Worcester, Mass.:

"Top of the earth reached at last. Greetings to faculty and boys.

(Signed) "D. P. M'MILLAN." Deaf Animal Run Over and Caught Under Motor Box-Killed by Hu-

Monday afternoon a dog belong-ing to John Aubrey of Mt. Pleasant ing to John Andrey of Mt. Pleasant street was run over on West Main street by an electric car bound for the city, both hind legs of the dog being cut off, and when he was dragged by the car he was completely skinned up to his neck. Theaccident happened almost opposite the home of Dog Warden George H. Stanton, who happened to be at home and ended the sufferings of the animal with a builet. The dog was deaf, and in the opinion of Warwas deaf, and in the opinion of War-den Stanton no blame attaches to the car crew, the motorman having his car under control and stopping it within a foot or two after he heard the dog give a yelp when the car caught him.

Springfield, where Mr. Houldcroft is employed in a firearms company. He is well known here, where he has resided for several years and has resided in different places in New England. When living in Warren, Mass., young Mr. Houldcroft, then 14 years old, held the position of truant officer and was the position of truant officer and was a the youngest in Worrester. Mrs. Mary Esther Free.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Esther Free was held Monday morning at 3.30 o'clock from the home of her sister. About from a street, Rev. P. C. Wright conducting the service and a number of friends attending. There were many flowers, and the bearers were four friends of the deceased. Burial was in Yantic cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Wright conducted a committal service at the grave. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Gager.

The Monday an hou for the following friends of the grave. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Gager.

The body of Charles E. Crocker, who in this city Monday afternoon, on the 3.30 train on the Central Vermont road accompanied by relatives. It was taken in charge by Shea & Burke and conveyed to Yantic cemetery, where a committal service was conducted at the grave by Rev. A. H. Wilcox.

The funeral was hald in Simsbury in the morning at II o'clock at the Advent Christian church on Foot Guard place. The Rev. A. C. Johnson, the pastor, officiated.

Dr. Cook Hears of United States Peary's Success **Census Force**

APPROXIMATELY 3,000 TEMPORA RY CLERKS TO BE APPOINTED.

examination will be Oct. 23 next throughout the United States, at vari-

ligion, D. C., or the secretary of the board of examiners at the following named places: Postoffice, Boston, Mass., Philadelphia, Pa., Atlanta, Ga., Cincinnati, O., Chicago, Ill., St. Paul, Minn., Denver, Col., San Francisco, Cal., custom house, New York, New Orleans, La., old custom house, St. Louis, Mo.

Very few appointments from the Oc-tober examination will be made before Jan. 1 next, and not many will be made until April. 1910. The maximum force

on probation, subject to termination at one month or any jeter period, if the appointee does not come up to the requirements. In every case the appointments will be temporary and subject to termination as the exigencies of the service may require. All expire by operation of law on June 30, 1912. The average tenure of office will probably be about one year, but the general duration will range from six months to

ration will range from six months to two years. Not one of these clerks will be eligible for transfer into the classified service.

between the ages of 18 and 50 years, except persons entitled to preference under Section 1754 of the revised stat-

prise persons who are habitually addicted to the use of intoxicants or guilty of infamous or notoriously dis-

until April. 1910. The maximum will be drawn August next year.

EXPLORER COOL AND UNMOVED NUMBER, CLASSES, SALARIES

Circular of Instructions May Be Ob tained After September 10th.

Copenhagen. Sept. 6.—Copenhagen was electrified tonight by the report of Commander Peary's announcement that he had reached the north pole. Dr. Cook was immensely interested and

WILL CONFIRM MINE."

Cook was immediately said:

"That is good news. I hope Peary did get to the pole. His observations and reports on that region will confirm mine."

A Most Dramatic Episode.

It is doubtful if history furnishes a more dramatic episode than the breaking of the news to Dr. Cook that Peary had realized the goal of his life's ambition and repeated struggles. Dr. Cook was seated at a dinner, surrounded by explorers and correspondents, in the gilded ballroom of the Tivoli casino. Around his neck was hung a garland of pink roses, according to the Scandinavian method of honoring heroes, which the explorer wore blushingly and with visible embarrassment.

Several speeches acclaiming him had been given and repeated toasts to him were drunk with clamorous cheers.

Whisper Went Around That Peary Had.

Whisper Went Around That Peary Had Succeeded. Amid this scene a whisper went around that Peary had planted the Stars and Stripes at the pole. Cook was perfectly cool and unmoved. He made a striking speech in which he paid high tribute to the work of Sverderen are the state that the state of the st

paid high tribute to the work of Sver-drup, who sat near, to whose discov-eries he largely owed his success, to John R. Bradley, who had financed the expedition to "the intelligence, en-durance and falintulness" of the Eski-mos who had assisted in the prepara-tions and those who had accompanied him. The whole story of the expedi-tion, he said, has not come out and will not come out for some time; nor will it come in installments, but only when it is completed.

Explorer Said Smilingly "I Am Giad.

Dr. Cook did not permit the whispers which came to his ear of Peary's success move him in the least, but when he had finished he was surrounded by correspondents who looked for some sign of emotion, but the explorer said smilingly:

"I am glad."

two years. Not one of these will be eligible for transfer into the classified service.

The temporary position with salaries of \$1,200 and above, provided for by the thirteenth census law, will be filled for the most part by the transfer of persons already in the permanent census office, it being expected that the latter organization will supply all other

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Asked if there was any probability
of Peary's having found the tube containing his records. Dr. Cook replied:
"I hope so, but that is doubtful on
account of the drift."

Dr. Cook added:
"Commander Peary would have
reached the pole this year. Probably
while I was in the Arctic region last
year, his route was several hundred
miles east of mine. We are rivals, of
course, but the pole is good enough for
two.

Other Parties Will Reach It.

"That two men gof to the pole along different paths," continued the explorer, "should furnish large additions to scientific knowledge. Probably other parties will reach it in the next ten parties will reach it.

Willing to the pole along tabulating cards, or to be compensated to a piece price basis. The salaries of parties will be at the mean ten parties will be at the parties will reach it in the next ten parties will reach it in the next ten parties will be made as heretofore.

Appointments to the permanent centered will be made as heretofore. knowing further details, than that I am glad of it."

"We Are Friendly Rivals." While Dr. Cook was conversing cas-ally this morning with American ually this morning with American friends the possibility of the denoue-ment which electrified the world was

marked:

"It is quite possible that Peary will turn up now. He is about due to get back, if he carries out his plans. We have always been friends, while of ourse we are rivals in the attempt

DELEGATES HERE.

Come to Attend Franco-American Convention Today.

Among the delegates arriving here Monday for attendance at the Franco-American convention opening here this morning were J. A. Caron and Phillip Boucher of Woonsocket, person and leg badly crippled hands, arms, feet or legs, heart disease. locomotor ataxia, cancer, Bright's disease and diabetes.

Deaf mutes will be admitted to the examination and, if their names are reached on the resister, will be offered employment wherever that action is a body at 8.45 to St. Patrick's church, where a solemn high mass is to be selected to a physical defects may debar it be celebrated by Rex. U. O. Bellerose of Woonson the Marked by an analysis of the celegates. Between 10.39 and 11 of clek there will be a baliness assistent the delegates. Between 10.39 and 12 of clek there will be a baliness assistent the delegates of the del

from all parts of the state.

Those on Both Roads Reached Norwich Behind Scheduled Time.

Monday night was three-quarters of an hour late here, coming in at 10.45. A half-hour lost at Blackstone waiting for connections was largely reing for connections was largely responsible for the delay.

The Central Vermont boat train, due here at 8.40 Monday night, did not arrive until 11.50, owing to a wreck in Vermont of a freight train. There were many coming from the fair in Hartford who were considerably delayed thereby.

Mrs. Georgeline Thuotte Dies Monday
After Two Hours' Illness.

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Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Saymour was selected to command the British squadron that will participate in the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

Left Launch at Fishers Island.

Walter Hynds of Norwleh and a party of friends he took on a launch trip Sunday made an unexpected visit to Fishers island and were very glad to invite of South A street, Tartville was dead at 5. Dr. Louis I. Pratte was they met. When the gale reached to indicate their vicinity on Fishers Island sound it made the water pretty rough for so small a craft and it was with difficulty they reached a landing place on the island.

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Condensed Telegrams

Henry Keans of Doylestown, Pa., was rowned at Atlantic City while bath-

Eighty-four Sail and Steam Vessels

Mrs. Julia Curtiss of New York own Meat Prices Were Advanced at Chi

The Halley Comet will illuminate the seavens next May, according to Wash-

Washington D. C., Sept. 6.—Approxi-pately three thousand temporary clerks will be appointed in the census bureau George Smith of Philadelphia was terribly scalded when his engine over-turned in that city.

ous cities; according to a circular an-nouncement relative to the examina-tions and appointments which will be issued jointly by the department of commerce and labor and the United States civil service commission. Blank application forms and the cir-cular of instructions may be obtained Forty Thousand Tons of Pig Iron ordered in Germany last week for port to the United States. Director of the Census Durand ap-

pealed to the farmers to keep ac data for the next census.

The Forty Widows composing the Vidows club of Berwick, Pa., are flooded with marriage proposals.

A Gang of 10 Year Old "Bad Men" raided a poultry farm near Philadel phia and wounded the keeper.

the United States is not wearing out and crop yields are increasing. From 1878 to 1907 There Were 34 destructive storms in the September and 39 in October

Collector Loeb of New York defend ed his newly installed system of double search at the custom house.

the bardware store of Relly Brothers & Raub in Lancaster, Pa., were burned.

Oklahoma's Secretary of State, Will Five Thousand Employes of the

ALLEN LINE STEAMER

ASHORE NEAR CAPE RACE.

given for the erew and passengers to

under Section 1754 of the revised stat-utes may be examined without regard to age, and except boys over 16 and under 18 years of age, who if passed will be eligible for appointment as kept affoat until 10 o'clock, when they

NO PARADE IN BOSTON. For the First Time Labor Day is Not

ith an orchestra, provided by local silent.

About 200 delegates are expected difficulty in common use). 10: arithmetic the Bridgeport hospital tonight. Feature of the common use is a specific consisting of vertical and cross dak fell from the second story verands. tic (consisting of vertical and cross addition, percentages and a simple exercise in tabulation), 20; letter writing at the rear of his house at 275 Willie'd street early Sunday morning, a distance of twenty feet, and crushed his been celebrating petitors may select either of two subjects given). 20; penmanship (the handwriting of the competitor in the subject of conving from plain conv will

AT BROADWAY THEATER.

handwriting of the competitor in the subject of copying from plain copy will be considered with special reference to the elements of legibility, rapidity, neatness, general appearance, etc.). 15-copying from plain copy (a simple test in copying accurately in the competitor's handwriting a few printed lines, including tabular matter). 15; time (consumed in examination), 20.

The time for this examination is four and one-half hours, and in rating it a credit of 70 will be given those who dnish leside the time limit. Other minor credits are described in the circular. Upon completing the examination, competitors will be given an optical test in typewriting, consisting of At Broadway theater on Monday evening We Are King was presented by a capable company. The play is in three acts and was handsomely staged. Eugene Weber in the dual role won much favor by his work, while Emmett Brandon also carried a double role to perfection. Mare Ayers as the baroness gave an excellent interpretation of her role, while Anne Cromwell and Kittie Cosgriff pleased, the others giving good support.

State Convention

Leagues.

Naugatuck. Conn.. Sept. 6—Five hundred delegates from the various Swedish Luther leagues of the state met for their annual convention here today. The reports for the year were read and the following officers elected: President, Rev. A. J. Stenwall, Waterbury, vice president, Rev. E. A. Zetterstrand. Naugatuck: secretary. Rev. W. J. Ebb, Bridgeport, vice secretary. Rev. P. Proberg, Bridgeport, and treasurer, Rev. T. M. Wiskstrand,

Thoutte of South A street, Taftville was dead at 5. Dr. Louis I Pratte was hurriedly summoned, but the woman was beyond aid. The deceased was a native of Canada, but Taftville has been her home for nearly ten years. She leaves several sons and daughters. She was a woman of rugged health, was rarely III, and her death was totally unexpected.

Steamship Arrivels.

At London: Sept 6, Minnetonks, from New York.

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There was a Deep Gash in the Head and Seventy-Five Pound Stone Tied to Body

PROBABLE MURDER OF WILLIAM SMITH

His Brother, Henry Smith, Arrested on Coroner's Warrant and Held Pending Examination-Smith, who Lived at raddam teck, and Been Missing Since Sunday, Aug. 29-Carried Large Sum of Money.

Haddam, Conn., Sept. 6.—The finding today of the body of William Smith
in the Connecticut river with a deep
gash in his head and a seventy-five
pound stone tied to the body brought
to light a probable murder and led to
the arrest late today of Henry Smith,
a brother of the dead man, with whom
he lived at Haddam Neck.

Bady Found by a Fisherman

Body Found by a Fisherman. The body was found floating in shal-low water near the shore by Oliver Johnson, a fisherman of this place. He dragged it ashore, where upon taking

it out of the water it was found that there was a large gash on the back of the head as large as the paim of a man's hand and that a rope was tied about the left ankie, up around the body, and to the rope was attached a stone weighing seventy-five pounds. Dead Man's Brother Arrested.

AUTOMOBILE RACES

AT LOWELL, MASS Robert Burman, in a Buick Machine Won the 212-Mile Race-Several Ac cidents, but None Serious.

Lowell, Mass.s Sept. 6 .- Out from eneral field of 22 racing automobiles ompeting in the three events composing the national small stock chassis competition of the opening day of the Lowell automobile carnival, there emerged victorious today Robert Burman, at the wheel of a Buick machine of 30 horsepower; Louis Chevrolet, guiding a car of the same make, of but 18 horsepower, and William Knipper, in a Chalmers-Detroit of 30 horsepower, respectively. Burman's sing the national small stock chas the finish of which was after and Knipper won a 127.2-mile of for the Merrimack Valley cup n 2.28.43

was serious. A Knox car driven by Fred Shaw ran into a booth in making a wide turn at the Tyngsboro end of the course, carrying three persons Dennis LaFlamm by transfer from other government departments or by certification from the existing register of the civil service commission.

The conditions governing the formal application and the special test examination require that the applicants must be citizens of the United States, between the ages of 18 and 50 years, except persons entitled to preference

Mechanics Discuss Legislation for as

Saratoga, Sept. 6.—The restriction of undesirable immigration and the conssage of more stringent naturalizasubjects for discussion at the thirty

ed American Mechanics, which began here against a was not organized ariy every some manda where today.

The council was addressed by James H. Patten of Washington, D. C., secretary of the Immigration Restriction league. He urged the need for the enforcement of existing immigration laws and for further legislation providing for an illiteracy test of allens who seek admission to the country. The convention will continue for two The convention will continue for two

GLAD SHE KILLED HIM.

ant for her act, Elizabeth Clara Beck-er, the young woman who on Satur-day killed John A.-Gunther, Jr., the garage proprietor with whom she lived, and then shot herself, died today at a Brooklyn hospital. Her hist words expressed gladness that Gunther was dead. The woman suid she shot him because he was untrue to her.

Votes to Disregard New State Law Closing Saloons at Ten O'clock.

night roted to disregard the new state law which goes into effect October I, closing saloons at ten o'clock. The resolution was introduced by Coun-

State Convention of Swedish Luther

etary, Rev. P. Froberg, Bridgsport, and treasurer, Rev. T. M. Wiskstrand, Meriden. The next convention will be

A. A. Robinson, His Wife and Mrs. H. E. Tremaine were killed in Bay City. Mich. when their automobile was

Smith has been missing since Sunday, Aug. 29. He left home several days previous to that, but was seen at intervals until Sunday, when he disappeared. Efforts have been made to get trace of him and the river has been described at various points for the bedty. get trace of him and the river has been dragged at various points for the body. Smith, who was 48 years old, was well to do financially and was in the habit of carrying large sums of money around with him and making a display of it at times. He was married and has one child, who with its mother has been living in New York for the past eight months.

MR. HARRIMAN HAS A RELAPSE. TRAINED NURSE SUMMONED. Dr. Lyle Gives Out Night Bulletin

from the Arden House. Arden, N. Y., Sept. 6.—E. H. Harriman is not as well as he was a week ago. on the day that his personal reassurance led the newspapers of the country to abandon the watch maintained for four anxious days about the home on Tower Hill. Dr. W. G. Lyle, Mr. Harriman's personal physician, gave out a brief bulletin tonight from

Arden house on his patient's condi-tion. The builetin follows:

"Mr. Harriman has suffered a re-lapse. He had a sharp attack of in-digestion on Sunday, but rested com-fortably today. We hope for the heat."

best."
Dr. Lyle appeared anxious that Mr. Harriman's condition should not be exaggerated. "Mr. Harriman is a sick man, but we hope for the best," he repeated, when pressed for a further statement. statement.

tended the conference at the Harri-

Rich Plantations Destroyed in State of Tamaulipas-Abject Misery.

Mexico City, Sept. 6.—The town of Tula, in the state of Tamaulipas was visited by another flood yesterday. A number of houses were carried away and rich planations were destroyed. Abject misery prevails in the district. The destruction of the cart roads will make most difficult the sending in of relief from the outside.

General Trevino places the deaths for the state of Nuevo Leon officially at 1,300. A number of towns on the Rio Grande have not yet been heard from.

from.

The towns of Aidama, Da Cos and Aramberrl are reported destroyed, making ten towns in all partially or wholly destroyed by the recent floods.

BODY FOUND BY LANDLADY. New York Department Store Salesman

New York, Sept. 6.—Somebody climbed through B. Rose's window in West Twenty-third street early today while he slept and after a terr struggle, murdered him with a kn struggle, murdered him with a knife. Rose's body, covered with slashes and clad only in a night shirt, was found today by his landlady. The room gave evidence of a bloody hattle, but no weapon was found. Little is known of the murdered man. He was about 55 years old and was a salesman in a local department store. A postal card came for him today from Loch Shell-drake, Sullivan county, N. Y., signed "Riley."

FRENCH SAILORS MURDERED. Attacked While Stranded in the New

Sydney, N. S. W. Sept. 6.—The cap-tain and crew of the French schooner Qualite, inegaged in recruiting labor-ers, have been murdered by natives of Mallicollo island, in the New Hebrides. The yessel was driven aground by a storm and, while stranded, she was attacked in spite of their stubbers. attacked. In spite of their stubborn defense, the crew were massacred to the last man. A British warship is investigating the occurrence.

BROKE THE MT. BLANC RECORD. Walter S. Bond of New York Reached the Summit in Nine Hours.

Geneva, Switzerland, Sept. 6.—Walter S. Bond of New York has climbed Mont Blanc from Chamonix in nine hours. He thus breaks the record of nine hours and a half made by Morehead, an Englishman, in 1865. Mr. Bond has had mountain climbing experience in the Rockies and the Ander.

Connecticut Man Second in "Swins Trophy" Match. Sea Girt, N. J., Sept. 6. In the rifle tournament here Musician Chesley of Connecticut was second in the "Swiss trouby" match.

Body of Girl Found in Detroit Suburb

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 6.—Tied in a bag, the torse of a young girl was discovered today in Ecorse creek, at Ecorse, a down-the-river subury of this city. The head, arms and legs were not to be found, and it was impossible to identify the body.